State Traveling Library

Des Moines 19, Iowa

BLANCHE A. SMITH

April 5, 1955

Miss Elizabeth B. Hage Scott County Library Eldridge, Iowa

Dear Hage;

I am sorry we seemed to be pushing you when you were already too busy and I don't know how you would have known that we are sending the Quarterly to Lake Mills for pringing, unless I had told you (which I that I had) but this is the situation.

April 10 has been our date line but it took a lot longer last time to get the thing out what with its travels back for forth for proof reading etc. So I told them I would have it in their hands by April 10 if they would step it up enuf for us to have it out before the district meetings began. On that basis we are proceeding. I will mail it Thursday.

The second copy of the map is not as good as the first. I wish we had had time to get a good one made but we didnt so will have to get along without it. Maybe there will be some changes or announcements to make in July and we might be able to have a good picture made by that time. Thank you for your efforts anyway, and I think they will understand what we mean anyway.

What happened to your driver? I that had had all the things in the catagory. I hope it is not permanent.

Our latest assistant (trying to do the work Edna Davidson did) called me Saturday at hom e to say she was taking off for California and didnt know how long she would be gone "probably two weeks"!

Because of the limitation on your time I will not add more, except to say that the last thing I would ever accuse you of would be uncooperativeness".

Sincerely yours,

Beaula a Smith